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John Andrew Gladysz et al. : CATALYSTS, REAGENTS AND

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AMENDMENTS AND RESPONSE

March 17, 2008

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 16, 2007, Applicants file herewith the attached Amendments and Response, a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 (with appendices), and a request for a 2-month extension of time for further examination of the above-identified application ("subject application"). Applicant respectfully requests amendment of the subject application before further examination thereof as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2; and

Remarks begin on page 15.